

# Rainbow Iridescent Wing Tutorial



First gather your equipment together

**Equipment needed:**

Fantasy Film / Wing Film

Scissors

Pliers

White Tacky PVA Glue

Wire

Heat / Embossing Gun

Candle

Joss Sticks

Fantasy Film / Wing Film can be bought direct from my website

[www.mylittlecustoms.com](http://www.mylittlecustoms.com)



Form the wing frame using wire and twist together at the ends. Don't forget to leave enough wire so you can attach your wings to your fairy ~ or in this case, pony!

The wing skeleton can be a simple or as complicated as you like. I have kept this one simple for the benefit of the tutorial.

Wings can come in all shapes and sizes ~ the only limit is your imagination!



Cut two pieces of Fantasy Film to the size of your wing, leaving plenty of excess as the film will shrink when heated.



Very lightly smear some white tacky PVA glue along your wires ~ not too much!  
Just enough to hold the fantasy film in place.

Lay your wire on top of one piece of the film and then sandwich the wires with the second piece.



Then gently place your wing sandwich under a heavy book until the glue dries.



Place your wing on a heat resistant surface and heat for a few seconds using your embossing gun. The film will rapidly shrink and tighten over your wire frame.

Turn your wing over and repeat on the back until there is a firm seal around the wire.

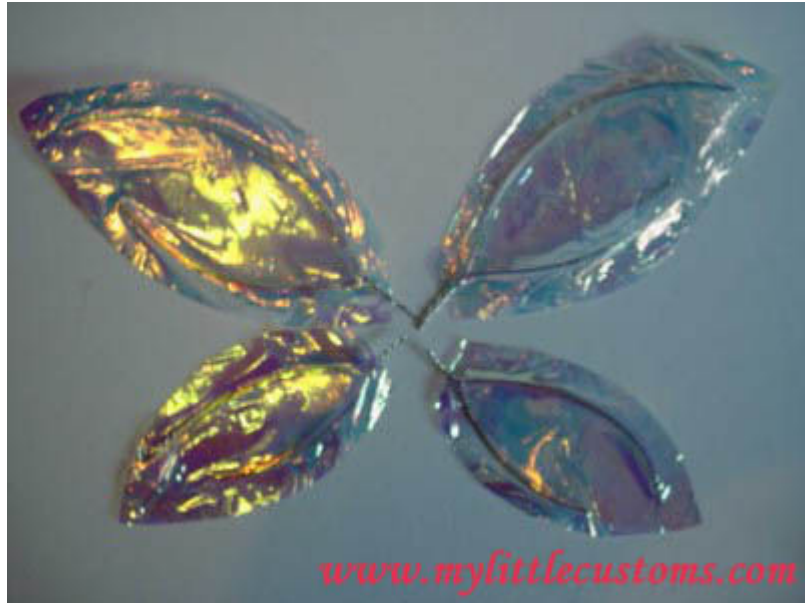


I have included a comparison shot of one wing which has been heated and one which has not so you can see the difference!



Cut around the wing to the shape you want it, leaving a good excess around the wires.





Light your candle and very carefully melt the all the edges to seal them.

**BE CAREFUL** ~ the film will melt quickly and you don't want to set your pretty wing on fire!



Now for the fun part!

To make the holes, light your joss stick and hold it near your wing.

You don't need to touch the wing, just hold it beneath.

You can use your joss stick to burn controlled holes and ragged edges ~ it is just like drawing!



Once you are happy with how your wings look, twist all the wing parts together and attach to your fairy!



You can also add glitter, micro beads or even little rhinestones to your wings.

I hope you found this tutorial helpful ~ I would love to see some pictures of the wings you create!

Good luck and have fun!

Robin x



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These wings have been made using Fantasy Film